



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Re: MUR 5849
Kathleen Cannon

Dear Mr. Elias:

This is in response to your letter dated October 31, 2006, requesting an extension until December 4, 2006 for your client, Kathleen Cannon, to respond to the Commission's Reason to Believe findings. Your client's response is due on Tuesday, November 14, 2006.

Considering the Federal Election Commission's responsibilities to act expeditiously in the conduct of investigations the Office of the General Counsel cannot grant your request. Accordingly, Ms. Cannon's response is due by close of business on November 14, 2006.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

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